Vocational education institutions

†2138. SHRI KAPIL SIBAL:
SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH 'LALAN':

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that institutions to impart vocational education have been set up in various States in the country;

(b) if so, the number of vocational education institutions which existed in each State, as in March, 2001; and

(c) to what extent the number of these institutions has increased in each State since March, 1998?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT [DR. (SMT.) RITA VERMA]: (a) to (c) Vocational Education is being provided in various States through existing school system. Number of schools having sections for vocational education, sanctioned under the scheme of Vocationalisation of Secondary Education, in the years 1998 and 2001, State-wise is given in the Statement encolsed.

Statement

Statement showing the Number of Schools Existed

S.No.	Name of the State/UT	1998 No. of Schools	2001 No. of Schools
1	2	3	4
1.	Andhra Pradesh	668	668
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	4	4
3.	Assam	200	225
4.	Bihar	251	251
5.	Goa	38	43
6.	Gujarat	364	364
7.	Haryana	98	98
8.	Himachal Pradesh	40	40
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	38	38
10.	Karnataka	564	564

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

1	2	3	4
11.	Kerala	310	363
12.	Madhya Pradesh	390	465
13.	Maharashtra	1141	1141
14.	Manipur	19	19
15.	Meghalaya	10	10
16.	Mizoram	17	17
17.	Nagaland	8	8
18.	Orissa	231	231
19.	Punjab	282	282
20.	Rajasthan	155	155
21.	Sikkim	7	7
22.	Tamil Nadu	700	700
23.	Tripura	12	12
24.	Uttar Pradesh	810	910
25.	West Bengal	39	39
26.	Andaman & Nicobar	3	3
27.	Chandigarh	17	17
28.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	2	2
29.	Daman & Diu	2	2
30.	Delhi	38	38
31.	Lakshadweep	-	-
32.	Pondicherry	12	12
	TOTAL:	6470	6728

National Nutrition Mission

2139. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government plan to establish a National Nutrition Mission;

(b) if so, what would be its objectives; and

(c) by when it would be set up?